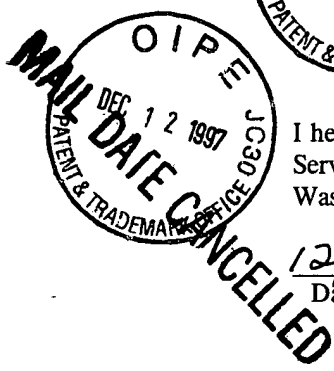


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Serial No.: 08/477,984      Art Unit: 1811  
Filing Date: June 7, 1995      Examiner: P. Lynn Touzeau  
Title:      METHODS FOR PURIFYING AUTHENTIC  
              IGF FROM YEAST HOSTS

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is an amendment in the above patent application in response to the Office Action of June 10, 1997.

- X   Petition for Extension of Time Enclosed.
- X   No additional amendment fee is required.
- X   Also enclosed: *Molecular Biology and Biotechnology -- A Comprehensive Desk Reference*, Meyers, R.A., ed. (VCH Publishers, Inc. 1995) pages 309-310; and Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, a PTO Form 1449 and the references cited therein.

No. of Claims After Amendment			Most Claims Previously Paid			Extra Claims		Additional Fee		
A. Total Claims	36	-	46	=	0	x	\$22	=	0.00	
B. Ind. Claims	2	-	6	=	0	x	\$82	=	0.00	
C. If amended to contain multiple dependent claims, add 270							\$270	=	\$0.00	
D. Total Amendment Fee (Total of A, B & C)									=	0.00

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E. If small entity, 50% reduction of Total Amendment Fee (50% of D)	=	0.00
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<u>X</u>	A check for \$ 1190 to cover the \$ 950 extension of time fee and \$ 240 Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement fee is attached.
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 which may be required by this paper, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-1648. **A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.**

Respectfully submitted,

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